

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 28, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In an alternative embodiment of the adapter 5 represented in Figures 4A and 4B, leads 16 and 17 are divided into several sections 16A, 16B, 16C and 17A, 17B, 17C respectively. The rigid sections 16B, 16C, 17B and 17C are connected to slide contacts 24 and 25, and movable sections 16A and 17A are connected to plug contacts 14 and 15. The movable lead sections 16A and 17A can be connected to the rigid sections 16B and 17C, respectively (position 1, Figure 4A), or to sections 16C and 17B respectively (position 2, Figure 4B) via an operating element, in order to produce different lead routings and thus the correct contact arrangement. One advantage of this design example is simpler operation, since the user only has to undo the end cap 7 from the handle sleeve 10, without having to take the adapter 5 out of the handle sleeve 10 or the light emitting apparatus 2 and to turn the adapter into a suitable position. Contacts 12-15 in this design example can be connected to each other in a fixed manner instead of being detachable.